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[*on the report of the Fifth Committee (A/70/943)*]

70/289. Financing of the Regional Service Centre in Entebbe, Uganda

The General Assembly,

Recalling its resolution 69/307 of 25 June 2015,

Having considered the report of the Secretary-General on the budget for the Regional Service Centre in Entebbe, Uganda, for the period from 1 July 2016 to 30 June 2017[1] and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions,[2]

1. *Reaffirms* its resolutions 57/290 B of 18 June 2003, 59/296 of 22 June 2005, 60/266 of 30 June 2006, 61/276 of 29 June 2007, 64/269 of 24 June 2010, 65/289 of 30 June 2011, 66/264 of 21 June 2012 and 69/307, and requests the Secretary-General to ensure the full implementation of their relevant provisions;

2. *Takes note* of the report of the Secretary-General;[1]

3. *Endorses* the conclusions and recommendations contained in the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions,[2] subject to the provisions of the present resolution, and requests the Secretary-General to ensure their full implementation;

4. *Takes note* of paragraphs 54 and 55 of the report of the Advisory Committee, decides not to establish a post at the D-2 level, and also decides to maintain the leadership of the Regional Service Centre in Entebbe, Uganda, at the D-1 level at this time;

Budget estimates for the period from 1 July 2016 to 30 June 2017

5. *Approves* the amount of 39,203,600 United States dollars for the maintenance of the Regional Service Centre for the period from 1 July 2016 to 30 June 2017;

Financing of the budget estimates

6. *Decides* that the requirements for the Regional Service Centre for the period from 1 July 2016 to 30 June 2017 shall be financed as follows:

[1] A/70/754.
[2] A/70/742/Add.17.

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(*a*) The amount of 38,462,200 dollars, to be prorated among the budgets of the active client peacekeeping operations for the period from 1 July 2016 to 30 June 2017;

(*b*) The amount of 741,400 dollars, to be charged against the appropriation under section 3, Political affairs, of the programme budget for the biennium 2016–2017, as approved by the General Assembly in its resolutions 70/249 A-C of 23 December 2015;

(*c*) The estimated staff assessment income of 2,786,700 dollars for the period from 1 July 2016 to 30 June 2017, to be prorated among the budgets of the individual active client peacekeeping operations;

7. *Also decides* to consider at its seventy-first session the question of the financing of the Regional Service Centre.

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